

Sec. 5. Termination of Task Force. The Task Force shall terminate 30 days after submitting its report to the President.

George W. Bush

The White House,
November 9, 2001.

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NOTE: This Executive order will be published in the *Federal Register* on November 15.

Notice—Continuation of Iran Emergency

November 9, 2001

On November 14, 1979, by Executive Order 12170, the President declared a national emergency with respect to Iran pursuant to the International Emergency Economic Powers Act (50 U.S.C. 1701–1706) to deal with the unusual and extraordinary threat to the national security, foreign policy, and economy of the United States constituted by the situation in Iran. Because our relations with Iran have not yet returned to normal, and the process of implementing the January 19, 1981, agreements with Iran is still underway, the national emergency declared on November 14, 1979, must continue in effect beyond November 14, 2001. Therefore, in accordance with section 202(d) of the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1622(d)), I am continuing for 1 year this national emergency with respect to Iran.

This notice shall be published in the *Federal Register* and transmitted to the Congress.

George W. Bush

The White House,
November 9, 2001.

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NOTE: This notice will be published in the *Federal Register* on November 13.

Message to the Congress on the Continuation of the National Emergency With Respect to Iran

November 9, 2001

To the Congress of the United States:

Section 202(d) of the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1622(d)) provides for the automatic termination of a national emergency unless, prior to the anniversary date of its declaration, the President publishes in the Federal Register and transmits to the Congress a notice stating that the emergency is to continue in effect beyond the anniversary date. In accordance with this provision, I have sent the enclosed notice, stating that the Iran emergency declared by Executive Order 12170 on November 14, 1979, is to continue in effect beyond November 14, 2001, to the Federal Register for publication. The most recent notice continuing this emergency was published in the Federal Register on November 13, 2000 (65 Fed. Reg. 68061).

Our relations with Iran have not yet returned to normal, and the process of implementing the January 19, 1981, agreements with Iran is still underway. For these reasons, I have determined that it is necessary to continue the national emergency declared on November 14, 1979, with respect to Iran, beyond November 14, 2001.

George W. Bush

The White House,
November 9, 2001.

NOTE: An original was not available for verification of the content of this message.

Message to the Congress Transmitting a Report on the National Emergency With Respect to Iran

November 9, 2001

To the Congress of the United States:

As required by section 401(c) of the National Emergencies Act, 50 U.S.C. 1641(c), and section 204(c) of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act, 50 U.S.C. 1703(c), I transmit herewith a 6-month periodic report on the national emergency with

respect to Iran that was declared in Executive Order 12170 of November 14, 1979.

George W. Bush

The White House,
November 9, 2001.

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**Digest of Other
White House Announcements**

The following list includes the President's public schedule and other items of general interest announced by the Office of the Press Secretary and not included elsewhere in this issue.

November 4

In the afternoon, the President and Mrs. Bush returned from Camp David, MD, to the White House.

November 5

In the morning, the President met with his National Security Council. Also in the morning, he had a telephone conversation with Jerry Colangelo, owner of the Arizona Diamondbacks, to congratulate him on their victory in the 2001 Major League Baseball World Series.

In the afternoon, the President met in the Oval Office with President Abdelaziz Bouteflika of Algeria to discuss cooperation against terrorism.

The White House announced that the President will welcome Acting Prime Minister and Foreign Minister Sabah Al-Ahmad Al-Jabir Al Sabah of Kuwait to the White House on November 7.

The White House announced that the President will meet with President Ali Abdallah Salih of Yemen at the White House on November 27.

November 6

In the morning, the President met with congressional leaders to discuss the legislative agenda, including aviation security.

In an afternoon ceremony at the White House, the President received diplomatic

credentials from Ambassadors Jose Brito of Cape Verde; Albert del Rosario of the Philippines; Allan Wagner of Peru; Ryoza Kato of Japan; Alan John Kyerematen of Ghana; Pascal Kokora of Cote d'Ivoire; and Seymour St. Edwards Mullings of Jamaica.

The President announced his intention to nominate Dennis P. Walsh to be a member of the National Labor Relations Board.

The President announced his intention to nominate Rebecca W. Watson to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Land and Minerals Management.

November 7

In the morning, the President met with Acting Prime Minister and Foreign Minister Shaykh Sabah Al-Ahmad Al-Jabir Al Sabah of Kuwait to discuss cooperation against terrorism.

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Vienna, VA, and later returned to Washington, DC. He then met with House Democrats to discuss trade promotion authority.

The White House announced that the President will welcome Prime Minister Goran Persson of Sweden for a meeting in the White House on December 3.

November 8

In the morning, the President met with President Fernando Henrique Cardoso of Brazil. In the afternoon, he met in the Oval Office with Prime Minister Bertie Ahern of Ireland.

Later in the afternoon, the President traveled to Atlanta, GA, and in the evening, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to nominate Margaret S.Y. Chu to be Director of the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management at the Department of Energy.

November 9

In the morning, the President had a telephone conversation with President Enrique Bolanos of Nicaragua to congratulate him on his November 4 electoral victory. Also in the morning, he met in the Oval Office with Foreign Minister Mohamed Benaissa of Morocco to discuss cooperation against terrorism.

In the afternoon, the President met separately in the Oval Office with Prime Minister